

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON  
AT SEATTLE

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, )  
Plaintiff, )  
v. ) Case No. 06-398 M  
ROOPRANIE JOKHU, ) DETENTION ORDER  
Defendant. )

**Offense charged:**

Count One: Possession of Ecstasy with Intent to Distribute in violation of 21 U.S.C. §§ 841(a)(1) and (b)(1)(C).

Count Two: Unlawful Importation of Ecstasy in violation of 21 U.S.C. §952(a)(1), 960(a)(1) and 960(b)(3).

Date of Detention Hearing: August 9, 2006.

The Court, having conducted a detention hearing pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3142(f), and based upon the factual findings and statement of reasons for detention hereafter set forth, finds:

## FINDINGS OF FACT AND STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR DETENTION

(1) Defendant is a Canadian citizen with no contacts to this jurisdiction.

(2) Defendant is facing the possibility of substantial time in prison, with possible sentences of up to twenty (20) years on each count.

(3) Defendant has no employment and questionable means of support.

(4) Defendant was detained at the Canada-U.S. border with a substantial amount of

01 ecstasy in her rented car. The quantity was approximately 31 kilograms with a street value of  
02 \$1.5 million.

03 (5) Defendant has little tying her to British Columbia, except for her children. She  
04 has a strong incentive to flee rather than face the charges against her.

05 (6) There appear to be no conditions or combination of conditions other than  
06 detention that will reasonably assure the defendant's appearance at future Court hearings as  
07 required.

08 IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

09 (1) Defendant shall be detained pending trial and committed to the custody of the  
10 Attorney General for confinement in a correction facility separate, to the extent  
11 practicable, from persons awaiting or serving sentences or being held in custody  
12 pending appeal;

13 (2) Defendant shall be afforded reasonable opportunity for private consultation with  
14 counsel;

15 (3) On order of a court of the United States or on request of an attorney for the  
16 government, the person in charge of the corrections facility in which defendant  
17 is confined shall deliver the defendant to a United States Marshal for the purpose  
18 of an appearance in connection with a court proceeding; and

19 (4) The Clerk shall direct copies of this Order to counsel for the United States, to  
20 counsel for the defendant, to the United States Marshal, and to the United States  
21 Pretrial Services Officer.

22 DATED this 9th day of August, 2006.

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25 JAMES P. DONOHUE  
26 United States Magistrate Judge